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SUBJECT: ROVING PATROL

REF: STATE 302573 DATED 12/20/77

1. IN RESPONSE TO REFTEL, FOLLOWING ARE MONTHLY COMPARATIVE COSTS OF UTILIZING A VEHICLE PURCHASED BY CONTRACTOR OR VEHICLE RENTED BY CONTRACTOR:

CONTRACTOR PURCHASE CONTRACTOR RENTAL

DEPRECIATION 367.84 BASIC DAILY RATE 13.01 INSURANCE 52.26 DAILY COST PER KILOMETER GAS & OIL 157.65 (BASE OF 320 KILOMETERS REPAIRS 78.82 DAILY) 41.62 TIRES 28.90 DAILY INSURANCE 2.63 USE OF RENTAL WHEN DAILY TOTAL 57.25 VEHICLE IS DOWN 116.43 TAX .17 801.90 MONTHLY TOTAL 1,722.71

2. SALARIES OF FOUR ROVING PATROL GUARDS WOULD COST \$314.34 PER MAN PER MONTH. ASSUMING WE WOULD HAVE THE CONTRACTOR PURCHASE THE VEHICLE IN LIEU OF RENTING A VEHICLE, THE TOTAL COST INCLUDING GUARDS WOULD BE \$2,059.26 MONTHLY AND YEARLY COSTS WOULD BE \$24,711.12. LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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3. DUE TO THE TIME LAPSE WHEN THE ROVING PATROL WAS FIRST PROPOSED THE MATTER WAS DISCUSSED AT THE MONTHLY U.S. MISSION SECURITY WATCH COMMITTEE MEETING HELD ON FEBRUARY 16. THE SWC CHAIRED BY THE DCM AGREED THAT THE THREAT LEVEL STILL WARANTED THE INTITIATION OF THE ROVING PATROL AS A DEFENSE MEASURE AGAINST TERRORISM AND UNANIMSOULY SUPPORTED THE PROPOSAL.

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